SNODGRASS, Astoria, Oregon

Johnny Basel

Jonny Albert Robert "John" Basel
& Olive Marie Olson

John was born in Astoria April 13, 1893. He received his education here. His obituary gives his work record. He ...worked for his father who was a contractor. He spent some time at Columbia River Packers Assn. where he worked on the boat Leader. During World War I he worked in area shipyards and then for more than 30 years worked at the Astoria Foundry as a molder. Later he worked for several years for Peter Brach Plumbing until that shop liquidated at which time he went to work for Abrahamson Plumbing where he worked until his retirement in 1955. In 1953 he purchased the market at Swensen which his son operated.

John and Olive had 2 daughters, Laurene and Helen and a son, John Leroy.

Laurene
Helen
Daughters of John Basel